

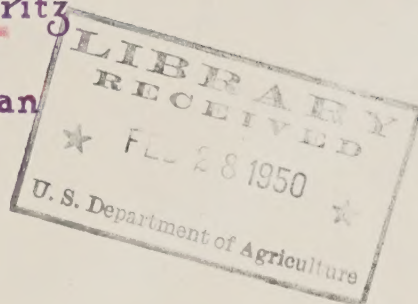
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Special Price list

Dear Customer:

I have just received from Brazil a very fine shipment of Cattleya labiata. In this part of the world labiata blooms in the fall, but since this is the fall season in Brazil, the plants are getting ready to bloom now. They are all fine plants and very clean. I know they will please my customers. These plants should bloom again in the fall and the blooms should be larger because the present blooms are the first the plants have borne.

For those of you who do not know C. labiata, it bears three to five flowers per spike, about six inches across. Sepals and petals are usually rose-lilac; labellum with the tube colored usually like the petals; the front lobe deeply emarginate, commonly a violet purple with deeper veins, the color running in streaks to the yellow throat which has an orange spot on either side. A truly fine Cattleya specie.

They will be shipped in pots. For immediate shipment the price is \$6.00 each, f.o.b. Monroe.

When my new price list issued the price will be \$7.50 each.

Very cordially yours,

Margaret Ilgenfritz.

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